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HORSE THIEVES IN FALLOWFIELD LAST NIGHT

Horse thieves were busy in Fallowfield township last night and when Isaac Morris, a well-known farmer of that community went to his stable this morning he discovered that two of his valuable animals had been taken therefrom. One bay and one grey mare were taken by the thieves. They had been placed in the stable about 11o'clock and between that time and morning the theft occurred. The animals were taken out at the back of the building and the fence torn down to lead them through, in this way the thieves working so that their operations could not be seen from the house in case any of the family should look out. It was impossible to tell in which direction the horses had been taken, as there are three roads leading out from that locality and as a heavy rain had fallen, all tracks were obliterated.

Mr. Morris was in town this morning and states that he will offer a good reward for the capture of the thieves and the return of the horses. He will have cards circulated over the country advertising the same.

WILL MAKE AUDIT OF CARROLL FINANCES

The auditors of Carroll township, through their attorney, Carl E. Gibson, yesterday filed their answer in the proceedings recently instituted against them to set aside their audit of accounts. In the answer filed the auditors admit the audit was not conducted according to law, for the reason that it was not held on the date required by law. They join in the petition of the taxpayers to have the audit set aside. The court ordered this done, and said an order would be made requiring a new audit.

Mr. Farmer; See Mountsier of Charleroi for seed oats and seed corn. 19-S tf

ATTACKED BY TWO FOREIGNERS

Ed. Miller, head fire boss at the Arden mine of the Meadowlands Coal Company, was seriously injured yesterday morning when attacked by two foreigners. One of the men deliberately fired a shot gun at him, the shot making effect in one side of his face and badly injuring and lacerating his face. One eye is badly hurt.

At the time the attack was made the fire boss was on his way to the mine. There is a double track extending to the mines and at the time the two foreigners approached him he was walking between two coal trains. One of the men, on nearing him, drew a large dirk knife. He pulled a revolver, but before he was able to fire the other man knocked him down with his fist, rendering him dazed. Before he recovered himself one of the foreigners had disappeared but quickly returned with a shot gun. He leveled the gun and deliberately fired. The shots took effect in the one side of his face. The men immediately fled.

Officer J. J. Miller, of Canonsburg, was notified, and went to the quarry of the sewage disposal plant, where he found one of the foreigners employed. He immediatly placed him under arrest. The foreigner refused to talk or tell his name. It was learned that the attack was made on the fire boss because he had discharged the two men.

ESCAPES ONE TRAIN, IS HIT BY ANOTHER

Charleroi Man Walking Slowly Up The Tracks Hears Engine In Back But Does Not Notice The One In Front, And Is Fatally Injured.

Stepping from in front of a heavy south bound freight train into the path of a north bound locomotive and caboose, running fast, J. T. Black, a carpenter of Charleroi, was hit and fatally injured near the water plant above First street, at 5:45 o'clock last evening.

Mr. Black after a hard days work at the Zollner building on McKean avenue had stated home, living between Charleroi and Speers. He had a newspaper and was slowly walking up the track perusing the pages. A heavy freight came up slowly behind and Black, engaged in a piece of news he was reading stepped from the south bound to the north bound track without scarcely lifting his eyes, therefore did not notice a locomotive and caboose which was fastly bearing down upon him, neither did he hear the screaming of the whistle. The engine was going too fast to be stopped before it reached the man, and he was hit and thrown several feet aside. The north bound train was stopped, and Black was brought on to the station here where Dr. Smith did all possible to alleviate the man's sufferings. He was then taken to the Memorial hospital, Monongahela, where he died about half an hour after entering the doors. The injury which caused death was a broken rib on the left side which penetrated the lungs.

Mr. Black was a man some sixty years of age and a pensioner of the Civil war. He has been employed by Contractor S. K. Scott for nearly eight years, being known as a sober, industrious man and a fine workman.

A wife and two sons survive Mr. Black. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

ROAD ISSUE NO LONGER HOLDS FARMERS

Monongahela, April 7.—Congressman Acheson was seen in Pittsburg recently by a resident of Monongahela, who had business in the city. Mr. Acheson was with ex-Senator William Flinn, and the two sought a private rendezvous where it is presumed a conference was held in regard to the exigencies of the campaign which from Mr. Acheson's point of view is in most desperate straits. The supposition is that Mr. Acheson sought out Mr. Flinn for the purpose of getting a line on the Flinn road proposition in order to get something to catch the farmers' vote, which at this stage is hopelessly lost to him. Local option has proved a boomerang in the rural districts, as the notorious record of the Acheson organization during the past two campaigns, when by the lavish use of boodle and booze, the slated tickets were saved from defeat, is well known to the voters.

It is thought that by the promise of more road building Mr. Acheson hopes to again line up the farmers, as his agents over the county during the past few days have been trying to work up this sentiment and turn attention once more to the so called good roads issue. This is a forlorn hope, however, for Commissioner J. A. Huffman's recent statements giving some inside information as to the cost of the Flinn roads already constructed, which have to be renewed every three years, and will cost at the expiration of 20 years $44,000 a mile, have opened the eyes of the taxpayers to a wider extent than ever before.

Mr. Acheson is evidently at the end of his resources, and his attempt to stem the growing tide of opposition by bringing in Flinn roads demonstrates that he is in desperate straits.

Solly Stroup, formerly of Charleroi, is still in the fighting game and holds the championship belt of Alaska where he has been since leaving here. A newspaper received here this week gives an account of his latest go. It was with Jack Timmens and the odds were in his favor but after seventeen hard rounds his seconds tossed the sponge and Solly is now wearing the belt.

VINDICATION OF CHARLEROI HIGH SCHOOL

Editor Charleroi Mail:—Being of a rather critical turn of mind I was somewhat interested in an article which appeared in your issue of April 5, relative to a certain mathmatical problem which has been worrying the minds of some of our citizens. I would like now to correct a few statements made then. Prof. Gayman, who is known as one of the best mathmaticians of our town, after several weeks work, obtained the correct result, 16 board feet. He did not work the problem by any "simple rules of mensuration." The fact is, this simple problem involves a principle of solid geometry. Now, solid geometry is not taught in our grammar schools. Neither is it taught in the High school. Therefore there is no reason why anyone should be amazed. If the problem were to be worked by "simple mensuration," as has been said, I would like to inform one that the correct result, by mensuration as taught in our schools, was obtained by a dozen High school boys the first day on which the problem was submitted to them.

It is another mistake when the writer says that the pupils of today do not keep up with the old generation, and that the work in some branches has fallen below the standard of the same branches 25 years ago. I think that the schools of our country—and of Charleroi also—are steadily becoming more efficient in every branch. Furthermore, I think that I, or any of my classmates, could answer ten questions on any general branch, with any business man of Charleroi, and "perhaps" beat him out, to say nothing of the "smattering" of the advanced High school studies.

Therefore, as one who fully appreciates the advantages of an up-to-date school, and one who sympathizes with the business men of Charleroi, who have not had these same advantages, I deem it my duty to set these men right.

A High School Student.

COUNCIL MEETING AT NORTH CHARLEROI

The council of North Charleroi held its regular monthly session on Monday night. Members present were Watson, E. Crabb, Woodward, Gaskill, Shaffer, and Jacobs. A resolution to retain Duncan, Chalfant and Warne as solicitors was passed.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Mail Pub. Co.	$ 7.50
Greensboro Gas Co.	11.63
Jasper Rockwell	5.25
James Jenion	5.25
John Dowd	5.25
John McCool	1.50
Irwin Rockwell	60.46
Charleroi Water Co.	3.00
	$99.84

The tax levy was fixed at 13 mills for ensuing year, 11 mills for borough and 2 mills sinking fund.

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UNION LABOR QUICKLY BRANDS SNYDER STORY

Long Distance Attempt To Injure Tener, The Labor Candidate, Only Results In Reaffirmation of Endorsement By Flint Glass Worker.

Beaver Falls, Pa. April 7.—At a regular meeting of Central Labor Council held at its hall in New Brighton, Monday night, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, a statement appears in the Beaver Falls Tribune in the form of a letter from one "Snyder" from Toronto, O., saying some one told him something about John K. Tener, the purpose being to injure organized labor's candidate for corgress and after seeing it denied by a real union man Mr. J. Michel, secretary of local union No. 41, Flint Glass Workers of Charleroi, Pa., and hearing the true statement of the following members of Charleroi Council and Flint Glass Workers, namely Mr. Lindsay. Mr. Turney and Mr. Armstrong of Charleroi.

Resolved, that this Central Labor Council of Beaver county denounces the method employed by such men and that we reaffirm our former actions in endorsing Mr. John K. Tener for congress. Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be handed to the Beaver Falls Tribune and request them to print the resolution of local union No. 41, of the Flint Workers of Charleroi, which is as follows:

Resolved, that local union No. 41 Flint Glass Workers heartily indorse the candidacy of John K. Tener and we will do everything in our power honestly, fairly, and fearlessly to bring about his nomination.

Chas. H. Frederick,
President.
August A. Jamison,
Secretary of Central Labor Council.

Mrs. Myrtle R. Stewart and Miss Minnie Richardson are spending the day in Pittsburg.

WELL KNOWN MAN DIES AT HOME

Louis D. Piper, a well known resident of Coal Center, and a brother of Cary Piper of this place, died Monday evening at 8 o'clock after an extended illness of several months, of inflammatory rheumatism. The funeral will be held from the late home Thursday afternoon a 2 o'clock, conducted by the minister of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Coal Center. Interment will be in Howe's cemetery.

The deceased, who was 66 years of age is survived by his wife and one son, Louis D. Piper, Jr., a druggist of California; two brothers, Cary of this place and Oliver of California; two sisters, Mrs. H. G. Wilkins of California and Mrs. H. F. Jamison, of Altoona.

Base Ball in 1908.

The accounts of the spring practice of bate ball players of the two "big leagues" have been very encouraging. There have been no riots apparently, no offensive rowdy play, and few unpleasant incidents of any kind. The stories from the southern towns where the men are preparing for the season of 1908 justify the hope that this year base ball is to be cleaner.

While the financial depression is likely to effect the gate receipts, there is no reason to believe that the season will not be prosperous. Thousands of men and women all over the country can still afford to attend the games. The enthusiasm of those who rejoice to be known as "fans" shows no abatement. The public, whose interest in the contests reached so high a mark in the fall of last year, is waiting eagerly the umpires' call of "Play ball."

All that is necessary to maintain the sport in increasing favor is clean ball, and that will be the rule if the managers and owners of the teams want it. The power and responsibility are with them.—From the New York Sun.

OPENS FORTY HOUR SERVICE AT MONESSEN

Rev. Father Fries, of Charleroi, opened the fourty hours devotional services at St. Leonards Roman Catholic church of Monessen. Rev. Father A. J. Wigley, the pastor, was also honored in the presence of Rev. Father Angelo, of Pittsburg, a Passionist priest of St. John's Monastery and Rev. Father Odziemczewski, of Donora. Today Father Theodore, Passionist of the South Side, Pittsburg Monastery, will be present here. This year the forty hours of devotion comes during the Lenten season. It is optional with the pastor of each church and frequently comes following Lent thus lengthening the devotional season.—Monessen Independent.

Miss Lulu Dawson of Charleroi is in Monongahela this afternoon.

L. S. Goldberg was a Pittsburg visitor yesterday with friends.

GAMBLING HOUSES WERE RAIDED AT BELLE VERNON

Belle Vernon, April 7.—Constable Milton Morris, of Uniontown, completed the raids started here Sunday morning by arresting Edward Layton on a charge of keeping a "spakeasy" and Cora Johnson, a copper colored negress, on a charge of running a bawdy house. Both places are on the back street and have been under suspicion for some time. The county authorities got busy and Constable Morris had an easy time making the arrests. County Detective Frank McLaughlin made information against Layton for selling liquor without license and he gave $300 bail for a hearing before Justic John N. Dawson on April 16.

When Cora Johnston arrived in Uniontown in the custody of Milt Morris she was met at the jail by a number of her friends who made an unsuccessful effort to get bail for her.

She will be given a hearing in the near future.

"The Talk of New York."

The biggest hit made by any player in New York this season is that made by Victor Moore in George Cohan's "Talk of New York" at the Knickerbocker Theatre. It's a question just whose genius is responsible for the success—Cohan or Moore. But there is no question about the best song in the show. "I Want the World to Know I Love You" is the song hit, and it will be given words and music complete in next Sunday's New York World.

Star Theatre's Usual Good Show.

At the Star theatre last night good crowds enjoyed the fine attractions for which this place is noted. Burton, Holmes and Burton in the "Troubles of Farmer Bubbles" present a bit of rural comedy which is true to life and funny as it can be. The musical scissors grinder and the blackface comedian are both above the average. The moving pictures, "The Money Lender," are very fine. Attend this show at the Star tonight.

LOCAL CAPITAL MAY START PLANT TO GOING

A number of local capitaliets are seriously considering the formation of a company for the purpose of buying the bottle plant of the Hamilton company, which recently asked for a receiver, and it is probable that if the plant can be bought at a reasonable price it will be put in operation in the near future as a local concern. The factory is one of the most valuable ones in the town and while the Hamiltons are at present in difficulties brought about by general conditions of trade throughout the country it is known as a profitable industry and can the stock be subscribed would prove a good investment for its promoters and serve to keep the employes of the plant here. About 400 men are employed in the plant, among whom are numbered some of the best citizens of the town.

In a talk with C W. Weltner this morning he stated that a meeting would be held in a few days and an attempt made to give the project definite form. "A number of people of Charleroi with money to invest have spoken to me about the matter," said Mr. Weltner. "The plant means too much to Charleroi to have it closed or moved elsewhere. Should we be able to form the company and buy the plant it will be started up at once, as the company did not shut down on account of lack of orders, but for lack of funds."

Others interested in the project are C. F. Thompson, S. A. Walton and W. H. Calvert. They all speak well of the enterprise and believe it will be possible to carry out the plan of having it conducted by local capital

Ernie's annual distribution of seeds comes at a time when the voter need 'em and he needs the votes. The troubles with the Acheson garden this year is that the seeds of dissension have been planted too long to permit these little packages as mementoes of activities of a "hard-working" congressman to find a growing place.

John Umbel is in Pittsburg today looking up business interests.

SHOWS HE IS NOT SOLDIER'S FRIEND

Is Acheson sincere? Is he the soldier's friend? Robert Kennedy, a one armed soldier and postmaster at Roscore, Pa., was thrown out of office to make room for a civilian from Fayette county, to pay one of Acheson' political debts.

This was done in opposition to a petition signed by more than four-fifths of the residents of Rocsoe, Pa., and contrary to the wishes of nearly all merchants and business men.

It was not that he loved the "OLD SOLDIERS," but that he loved himself more. Old soldiers think of this.

J. H. Underwood, Jr.

Wedding at Dunlevy.

On Saturday at Dunlevy the wedding of Mr. John Holland Smith and Miss Mary Ann Taylor, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Taylor, will take place. Many guests are expected to be present from a distance. The ceremony will be solemnized at the home of the brides parents. The groom is one of Dunlevy's crack football players and is quite well known. Miss Taylor also has many acquaintances along the river.

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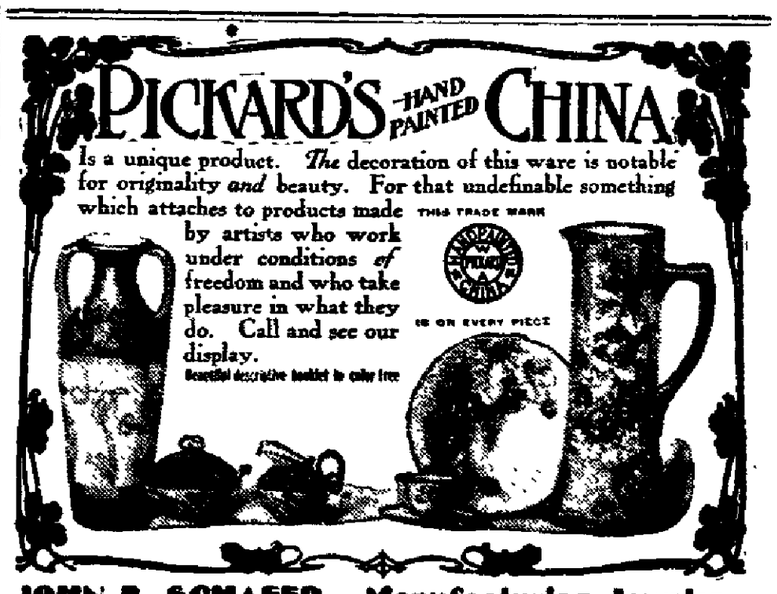

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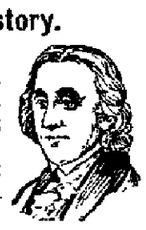

Rittenhouse.

1—David Rittenhouse, eminent American mathematician and astronomer, born; died 1796.

1885—Richard Grant White, author and philologist, died in New York city; born there 1821.

1895—General James L. Kemper, ex-governor of Virginia and one of the brigade leaders in Pickett's charge at Gettysburg, died; born 1823.

1907—Rev. Dr. John Johnson, survivor and principal historian of the Confederate defense of Fort Sumter, died; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:

Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:28, rises 5:26; moon sets 2:03 a m

The Reporter Squeals.

The Reporter on Monday printed a dastardly and venemous article about what they claimed had taken place in t e Pigeon Creek church on the Sun- previous. The allegations in the :le were clear, broad and unmis- ible. They were founded upon ... ements said to have been made by a minister.

Either the claim that a minister gave the informati n was not true or else the Reporter is unwilling to accept his statement. For notwithstanding the fact that on Monday under flaming headlines they made statements of certain facts and charge offenses against the friends of Mr. Tener, which were declared to be outrageous, these charges seem to have been made recklessly and maliciously.

After more sober thought the following is found in Tuesday's paper:

Inasmuch as a denal has been made of certan facts printed in the Reporter yesterday afternoon concerning the appearance of Tener placards in the Pigeon Creek Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, the pastor desiring to state the exact truth, will make an investigation of the affair and give its readers the result of its inquiries. The informant of the Reporter visited e office this morning and confirmed e story from his own personal owlege, as to what he saw as tated in the Reporter and is willing o give his impression of the matter as he saw it over his own signature.

BOWERS MEETS ENCOURAGEMENT

John H. Bowers, of Charleroi, has almost completed his canvass of Washington county, and from every locality where he has come in contact with the voters there are encouraging reports of his work. He appeals to all classes of people, because he has known what it is to struggle with the world and such success as has come to a business way has been brought about through his own earnest efforts. Workingmen readily recognize him as one who has has earned his bread by the sweat of his brow and for this reason are drawn to him. He also mixes well with the business men of the county, as he is always interested in the mercantile conditions of a community, being in the hardware business in Charleroi. As a Republican he has a fine record and members of the party are soon convinced that he is the simon-pure article in politics as in every day life.

Vote for Bowers. He will hold down the office of county treasurer in a manner creditable to the county, Charleroi, the town of his residence, and himself. It

John W. Vogel, whose minstrels bear his name, is the owner of one of the finest private cars used in the theatrical business. It is very large and fitted up with all the comforts and conveniences that are found in a most luxurious home.

One piece of furniture of which Mr. Vogel is particularly proud, is a bed. This is of folding style, made of solid cherry, and provided with the best and most expensive springs and mattress. This was the bed used by Edwin Booth on his last tour throughout this country when he and Lawrence Barrett were starring jointly. The Booth-Barrett combination, of course, had its private car, and after the death of the eminent tragedian the car was taken back to its builders and sold, the company removing most of the expensive fittings. When Mr. Vogel was having his car built, he noticed this bed, and not knowing its history made the remark that it would be a nice piece of furniture for his car. When the traveling home was delivered the minstrel owner was astonished to find the coveted bed in place and then the builders told him its history. Vogel's Ministrels come to Coyle Theatre April 9.

The Mail today is pleased to announce to its readers the inauguration of a Missing Word Contest, which is being conducted by J. Frederick Jones, a well known advertising expert and newspaper man of McKeesport, to begin next Thursday. For some days Mr. Jones was in Charleroi, calling on the local business men. He made a most favorable impression on them, contracting for 26 four-inch advertisements which are to run on the missing word page for a period of three months. The cards, as will be noticed, are all of a spicy nature, and will be read quite eagerly by the readers of the Mail.

The Missing Word Contest is a perfectly legitimate advertising proposition and something new in this quarter. The Mail agrees to give $25.00 in gold to the person or persons guessing the largest number of omitted words. This makes it purely an educational contest. It begins next Thursday and will last thirteen weeks. A word will be taken out of an advertisement each week. The same word will only be chosen once, a new word being selected from a new advertisement with each issue of the paper.

It might be well at this time to give the reader an idea of the manner in which the words are omitted. For instance, suppose a sentence in an advertisement should read: "We keep the finest line of hardware, housefurnishings, etc., and you want good goods at low prices, try us." You will at once see that there is a word omitted in this sentence. The word is "if". After filling out the coupon, giving the word you think is right, do not forget to state what words the omitted word should have appeared between. Do not stop at one guess. The word you think may be right, may not, after all, be the correct word the publishers take out and seal away. Therefore, try again. Try and get hold of several copies of the Mail, where a coupon will be found. Only one guess can be made on it, and the same guess will not be counted more than once for the same person.

As a rule, there are some who do not guess the word correctly the first, second, third or even fourth time. These persons must not quit, as those who guess right the first time are ap to fall down the next. The $25 in gold goes to the person or persons who guess the most words correctly. The largest number at the end of the time may only be 8 or 9. Go right on. Send in your coupons, and be governed by the conditions solely. Father, mother, brother or sister can participate. All can try for the gold dollars. Read the advertisements over and then fill out the coupon.

Coupons will be received up till 6 p. m. of Wednesday following the issue of the paper. Any received after that time will not be counted. The employes of the paper and their families are the only persons barred from the contest. If you do not get the Mail, order it today, so that you will have it each time the contest coupon appears.

FOR CONGRESS

John K. Tener

JOHN K. TENER

Strike a blow at hypocrisy by voting for Mr. Tener next Saturday.

Not Silent on Local Option for Fourteen Years

Read and be Conv'nced.

Charleroi, Pa., March 16, 1908

Mr. Thomas D. Brown.
New Brighton Pa.

My Dear Sir:—

Referring to our recent conversation relative to my attitude on the liquor license question. I desire to make my position thereon plain to you and all other fair minded citizens.

Admitting that there is an honest difference of opinion as to the details of a local option bill, let me say that I would not assume to dictate to a state legislative body, of which I shall not be a member, just what kind of a bill, in all such details, that body should pass: but I am unalterably of the opinion that the right should be given the people in any designated territory to decide by their votes whether or not license should be granted, and I would give my support to the bill presented by and satisfactory to those friends of local option having charge of it in the state legislature, where and where only, this question must be settled.

In my home town of Charleroi, and since its foundation, not only its incorporators but its best citizens, from that day to this, have succeeded in keeping the number of licenses down to a minimum, and in the hands of the most experienced, best qualified, and most responsible hotel men, believing as we do, that since the business is legalized it is the duty of all good citizens to use their influence to eliminate, as far as possible, the evils resulting therefrom.

I have already stated that I am making no effort whatever to gain control of politics in this district, or to elect any man or set of men for that purpose. It is my belief that our people are tired of bosses and bossism, and will not be deceived, even though the boss masquerade in the garb of reform.

Trusting that I have clearly defined my position on this question, I am,

Yours very truly

JOHN K. TENER

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Home makers should pay as much, if not more attention to the plumbing that goes into the home than anything else. The advice and services of a good plumber will save you much trouble in the future. We will be glad to figure with you on any job, large or small.

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505 McKean Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Buy Green Goods at Masters'

We are handling so much in the line of green goods that you are always sure of your purchases being fresh. When thinking about something dainty and nice for the table don't forget that we are always glad to send little purchases to the house in time for the next meal.

J. E. MASTERS & CO.

Fourth St. and Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

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An Old German scientist has discovered a positive cure for piles—no matter how severe the case may be; 6 drops Carbolic Acid, 1 dram Zotan, ½ oz. Zinc Ointment mixed and applied night and morning will permanently cure you. Any druggist has these ingredients in stock.

CASE AFTER CASE

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. C. Clark is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

Joseph R. Chalfant is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. Carl Mountsier and Mrs. W. C. Potter are Pittsburg visitors today.

Paul Caulfield of Millsboro was transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

C. E. Garrett and F. L. Nice of Hanover were calling on friends in Charleroi yesterday.

Miss Alphretta Gregg and Robert Gregg of California were visitors in Charleroi yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Jacobs of Crest avenue has left for West Virginia to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross and daughter Iva were in Pittsburg last evening attending the Automobile show.

D. N. Hall and Rev. J. H. Palmer were in Pittsburg yesterday attending the Baptist Sunday school convention in the Sandusky street Baptist church.

Mrs. G. May Hill of Munhall returned home yesterday from a few day's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott of Crest avenue.

Mrs. C. Weinstein of Philadelphia who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Nathan Greenberg, of Washington avenue, left for her home this morning. Mrs. Greenberg accompanied her to Pittsburg.

The regular drill of Co. A, Boys' Brigade of the Y. M. C. A., was held last night and 44 of the 51 members were on hand, showing the interest the boys are taking. In order to help pay for their uniforms the boys will hold a skating rink party at the rink on Friday night.

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A STATEMENT:

To the Voters of Washington County on the 10th of March I announced as a candidate for Assembly subject to Republican rules and in favor of local option, the county to be the unit and nothing less. I expected the endorsements of the Anti-Saloon League but was turned down. I thought they were the Moses pure of Washington county politics, but I met with a rebuke at their hands. Then I prepared an ad attacting the Anti-Saloon League for not endorsing every candidate that did not dodge the temperance issue The Washington Observer refused to print this ad unless they could cut out about all it meant. Then I saw six of the Anti-Saloon League men and they practically turned me down. The Anti-Saloon League has said, not by words but by selection, that only three out of the seven Republican candidates for Assembly are fit to go to Harrisburg. I am not in favor of making townships, boroughs and towns the unit, but I do borrow an idea, and favor it, from that famous labor leader, John Mitchell, of letting large cities like Pittsburg and Philadelphia handle the liquor question in a manner they think best.

I am not a politician or wire-puller. I never handled election money or booze, nor have I scanned the tax collector's books in order to pay somebody's taxes and make them under obligation to me. I believe in a fair and square deal for everybody.

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The Monongahela River Have Never Had Representation

upon this Board in the majority party for over thirty years. This is the more remarkable because they have over one-third of the population of the entire county and have very often themselves furnished the majority to elect the commissioners, and the entire Republican ticket. Is it fair to this great and most important district? Has this great valley received its proportionate share of public improvements? Of the thousands and hundreds of thousands of dollars spent upon road improvements, how much has been spent along the Monongahela Valley? The time is close at hand when the Republican voters of this great community can have a representative tried and true, and who is in touch with the River country, by putting the cross opposite the name of **Thomas Hill of Union Township,** whose name appears upon the official Republican Ballot. He will see that this great section will receive its full share of public improvements. He believes that when money is collected as taxes from this district that improvements should come proportionately. He is opposed to the arbitrary increase of the assessment of a whole township or borough. He believes that the appeals from the assessments should be held in each locality, and that the people wishing to object to the assessment should not be compelled to take the time and expense to go to the County Seat to obtain their hearing. In other words, that the Commissioners should go to the people instead of compelling the people to go to them. If you believe that the Republican party should give the River District a representative, the first in thirty years, cast your vote for Thomas Hill!

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HORSE THIEVES IN FALLOWFIELD LAST NIGHT

Horse thieves were busy in Fallowfield township last night and when Isaac Morris, a well known farmer of that community went to his staole this morning he discovered that two of his valuable animals had been taken therefrom. One bay and one grey mare were taken by the thieves. They had been placed in the stable about 11o'clock and between that time and morning the theft occurred. The animals were taken out at the back of [illegible] to lead them through, in this way the thieves working so that their operations could not be seen from the house in case any of the family should look out. It was impossible to tell in which direction the horses had been taken, as there are three roads leading out from that locality and as a heavy rain had fallen, all tracks were obliterated.

Mr. Morris was in town this morning and states that he will offer a good reward for the capture of the thieves and the return of the horses. He will have cards circulated over the country advertising the same.

WILL MAKE AUDIT OF CARROLL FINANCES

The auditors of Carroll township, through their attorney, Carl E. Gibson, yesterday filed their answer in the proceedings recently instituted against them to set aside their audit of accounts. In the answer filed the auditors admit the audit was not conducted according to law, for the reason that it was not held on the date required by law. They join in the petition of the taxpayers to have the audit set aside. The court ordered this done, and said an order would be made requiring a new audit.

Mr. Farmers See Mountsier of Charleroi for seed oats and seed corn. 19-8 tf

ATTACKED BY TWO FOREIGNERS

Ed. Miller, head fire boss at the Arden mine of the Meadowlands Coal company, was seriously injured yesterday morning when attacked by two foreigners. One of the men deliberately fired a shot gun at him, the shot taking effect in one side of his face and badly injuring and lacerating his face. One eye is badly hurt.

At the time the attack was made the fire boss was on his way to the mine. There is a double track extending to the mines and at the time the two foreigners approached him he was walking between two coal trains. One of the men, on nearing him, drew a large dirk knife. He pulled a revolver, but before he was able to fire the other man kocked him down with his fist, rendering him dazed. Before he recovered himself one of the foreigners had disappeared but quickly returned with a shot gun. He leveled the gun and deliberately fired. The shots took effect in the one side of his face. The men immediately fled.

Officer J. J. Miller, of Canonsburg, was notified, and went to the quarry of the sewage disposal plant, where he found one of the foreigners employed. He immediatly placed him under arrest. The foreigner refused to talk or tell his name. It was learned that the attack was made on the fire boss because he had discharged the two men.

ESCAPES ONE TRAIN, IS HIT BY ANOTHER

Charleroi Man Walking Slowly Up The Tracks Hears Engine In Back But Does Not Notice The One In Front, And Is Fatally Injured.

Stepping from in front of a heavy south bound freight train into the path of a north bound locomotive and caboose, running fast, J. T. Black, a carpenter of Charleroi, was hit and fatally injured near the water plant above First street, at 5:45 o'clock last evening.

Mr. Black after a hard days work at the Zollner building on McKean avenue had stated home, living between Charleroi and Speers. He had a newspaper and was slowly walking up the track persuing the pages. A heavy freight came up slowly behind and Black, engaged in a piece of news he was reading stepped from the south bound to the north bound track without scarcely lifting his eyes, therefore did not notice a locomotive and caboose which was fastly bearing down upon him, neither did he hear the screaming of the whistle. The engine was going too fast to be stopped before it reached the man, and he was hit and thrown several feet aside. The north bound train was stopped, and Black was brought on to the station here where Dr. Smith did all possible to alleviate the man's sufferings. He was then taken to the [illegible] where he died about half an hour after entering the doors. The injury which caused death was a broken rib on the left side which penetrated the lungs.

Mr. Black was a man some sixty years of age and a pensioner of the Civil war. He has been employed by Contractor S. K. Scott for nearly eight years, being known as a sober, industrious man and a fine workman.

A wife and two sons survive Mr. Black. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

ROAD ISSUE NO LONGER HOLDS FARMERS

Monongahela, April 7.—Congressman Acheson was seen in Pittsburg recently by a resident of Monongahela, who had business in the city. Mr. Acheson was with ex-Senator William Flinn, and the two sought a private rendezvous where it is presumed a conference was held in regard to the exigencies of the campaign which from Mr. Acheson's point of view is in most desperate straits. The supposition is that Mr. Acheson sought out Mr. Flinn for the purpose of getting a line on the Flinn road proposition in order to get something to catch the farmers' vote, which at this stage is hopelessly lost to him. Local option has proved a boomerang in the rural districts, as the notorious record of the Acheson organization during the past two campaigns, when by the lavish use of boodle and booze, the slated tickets were saved from defeat, is well known to the voters.

It is thought that by the promise of more road building Mr. Acheson hopes to again line up the farmers, as his agents over the county during the past few days have been trying to work up this sentiment and turn attention once more to the so called good roads issue. This is a forlorn hope, however, for Commissoner J. A. Huffman's recent statements giving some inside information as to the cost of the Flinn roads already constructed, which have to be renewed every three years, and will cost at the expiration of 20 years $44,000 a mile, have opened the eyes of the taxpayers to a wider extent than ever before.

Mr. Acheson is evidently at the end of his resources, and his attempt to stem the growing tide of opposition by bringing in Flinn roads demonstrates that he is in desperate straits.

Solly Stroup, formerly of Charleroi, is still in the fighting game and holds the championship belt of Alaska where he has been since leaving here. A newspaper received here this week gives an account of his latest go. It was with Jack Timmens and the odds were in his favor but after seventeen hard rounds his seconds tossed the sponge and Solly is now wearing the belt.

VINDICATION OF CHARLEROI HIGH SCHOOL

Editor Charleroi Mail:—Being of a rather critical turn of mind I was somewhat interested in an article which appeared in your issue of April 5, relative to a certain mathmatical problem which has been worrying the minds of some of our citizens. I would like now to correct a few statements made then. Prof. Gayman, who is known as one of the best mathmaticians of our town, after several weeks work, obtained the correct result, 16 board feet. He did not work the problem by any "simple rules of mensuration." The fact is, this simple problem involves a principle of solid geometry. Now, solid geometry is not taught in our grammar schools. Neither is it taught in the High school. Therefore there is no reason why anyone should be amazed. If the problem were to be worked by "simple mensuration," as has been said. I would like to inform one that the correct result, by mensuration as taught in our schools, was obtained by a dozen High school boys the first day on which the problem was submitted to them.

It is another mistake when the writer says that the pupils of today do not keep up with the old generation, and that the work in some branches has fallen below the standard of the same branches 25 years ago. I think that the schools of our country—and of Charleroi also—are steadily becoming more efficient in every branch. Furthermore, I think that I, or any of my classmates, could answer ten questions on any general branch, with any business man of Charleroi, and "perhaps" beat him out, to say nothing of the "smattering" of the advanced High school studies.

Therefore, as one who fully appreciates the advantages of an up-to-date school, and one who sympathizes with the business men of Charleroi, who have not had these some advantages, I deem it my duty to set these men right.

A High School Student.

COUNCIL MEETING AT NORTH CHARLEROI

The council of North Charleroi held its regular monthly session on Monday night. Members present were Watson, E. Crabb, Woodward, Gaskill, Shaffer, and Jacobs. A resolution to retain Duncan, Chalfant and Warne as solicitors was passed.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Mani Pub. Co.	$ 7.50
Greensboro Gas Co.	11.63
Jasper Rockwell	5.25
James Jenion	5.25
John Dowd	5.25
John McCool	1.50
Irwin Rockwell	60.46
Charleroi Water Co.	3.00

The tax levy was fixed at 13 mills for ensuing year, 11 mills for borough and 2 mills sinking fund.

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UNION LABOR QUICKLY BRANDS SNYDER STORY

Long Distance Attempt To Injure Tener, The Labor Candidate, Only Results In Reaffirmation of Endorsement By Flint Glass Worker.

Beaver Falls, Pa. April 7.—At a regular meeting of Central Labor Council held at its hall in New Brighton, Monday night, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, a statement appears in the Beaver Falls Tribune in the form of a letter from one "Snyder" from [illegible] something about John K. Tener, the purpose being to injure organized labor's candidate for congress and after seeing it denied by a real union man Mr. J. Michel, secretary of local union No. 41, Flint Glass Workers of Charleroi, Pa., and hearing the true statement of the following members of Charleroi Council and Flint Glass Workers, namely Mr. Livesay, Mr. Turney and Mr. Armstrong of Charleroi.

Resolved, that this Central Labor Council of Beaver county denounces the method employed by such men and that we reaffirm our former actions in endorsing Mr. John K. Tener for congress. Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be handed to the Beaver Falls Tribune and request them to print the resolution of local union No. 41, of the Flint Workers [illegible] which is as follows:

Resolved, that local union No. 41 Flint Glass Workers heartily indorse the candidacy of John K. Tener and we will do everything in our power honestly, fairly, and fearlessly to bring about his nomination.

Chas. H. Frederick, President.

August A. Jamison, Secretary of Central Labor Council.

Mrs. Myrtle R. Stewart and Miss Minnie Richardson are spending the day in Pittsburg.

WELL KNOWN MAN DIES AT HOME

Louis D. Piper, a well known resident of Coal Center, and a brother of Cary Piper of this place, died Monday evening at 8 o'clock after an extended illness of several months, of inflammatory rheumatism. The funeral will be held from the late home Thursday afternoon a 2 o'clock, conducted by the minister of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Coal Center. Interment will be in Howe's cemetery.

The deceased, who was 66 years of age is survived by his wife and one son, Louis D. Piper, Jr., a druggist of California; two brothers, Cary of this place and Oliver of California; two sisters, Mrs. H. G. Wilkins of California and Mrs. H. F. Jamison, of Altoona.

Base Ball in 1908.

The accounts of the spring practice of bate ball players of the two "big leagues" have been very encouraging. There have been no riots apparently, no offensive rowdy play, and few unpleasant incidents of any kind. The stories from the southern towns where the men are preparing for the season of 1908 justify the hope that this year base ball is to be cleaner.

While the financial depression is likely to effect the gate receipts, there is no reason to believe that the season will not be prosperous. Thousands of men and women all over the country can still afford to attend the games. The enthusiasm of those who rejoice to be known as "fans" shows no abatement. The public, whose interest in the contests reached so high a mark in the fall of last year, is waiting eagerly the umpires' call of "Play ball."

All that is necessary to maintain the sport in increasing favor is clean ball, and that will be the rule if the managers and owners of the teams want it. The power and responsibility are with them.—From the New York Sun.

OPENS FORTY HOUR SERVICE AT MONESSEN

Rev. Father Fries, of Charleroi, opened the fourty hours devotional services at St. Leonards Roman Catholic church of Monessen. Rev. Father A. J. Wigley, the pastor, was also honored in the presence of Rev. Father Angelo, of Pittsburg, a Passionist priest of St. John's Monastery and Rev. Father Odziemczewski, of Donora. Today Father Theodore, Passionist of the South Side, Pittsburg Monastery, will be present here. This year the forty hours of devotion comes during the Lenten season. It is optional with the pastor of each church and frequently comes following Lent thus lengthening the devotional season.—Monessen Independent.

Miss Lulu Dawson of Charleroi is in Monongahela this afternoon.

L. S. Goldberg was a Pittsburg visitor yesterday with friends.

GAMBLING HOUSES WERE RAIDED AT BELLE VERNON

Belle Vernon, April 7.—Constable Milton Morris, of Uniontown, completed the raids started here Sunday morning by arresting Edward Layton on a charge of keeping a "speakeasy" and Cora Johnson, a copper colored negress, on a charge of running a bawdy house. Both places are on the back street and have been under suspicion for some time. The county authorities got busy and Constable Morris had an easy time making the arrests. County Detective Frank McLaughlin made information against Layton for selling liquor without license and he gave $300 bail for a hearing before Justic John N. Dawson on April 16.

When Cora Johnston arrived in Uniontown in the custody of Milt Morris she was met at the jail by a number of her friends who made an unsuccessful effort to get bail for her.

She will be given a hearing in the near future.

"The Talk of New York."

The biggest hit made by any player in New York this season is that made by Victor Moore in George Cohan's "Talk of New York" at the Knickerbocker Theatre. It's a question just whose genius is responsible for the success—Cohan or Moore. But there is no question about the best song in the show. "I Want the World to Know I Love You" is the song hit, and it will be given words and music complete in next Sunday's New York World.

Star Theatre's Usual Good Show.

At the Star theatre last night good crowds enjoyed the fine attractions for which this place is noted. Burton, Holmes and Burton in the "Troubles of Farmer Bubbles" present a bit of rural comedy which is true to life and funny as it can be. The musical scissors grinder and the blackface comedian are both above the average. The moving pictures, "The Money Lender," are very fine. Attend this show at the Star tonight.

LOCAL CAPITAL MAY START PLANT TO GOING

A number of local capitalists are seriously considering the formation of a company for the purpose of buying the bottle plant of the Hamilton company, which recently asked for a receiver, and it is probable that if the plant can be bought at a reasonable price it will be put in operation in the near future as a local concern. The factory is one of the most valuable ones in the town and while the Hamiltons are at present in difficulties brought about by general conditions of trade throughout the country it is known as a profitable industry and can the stock be subscribed would prove a good investment for its promoters and serve to keep the employes of the plant here. About 400 men are employed in the plant, among whom are numbered some of the best citizens of the town.

In a talk with C. W. Weltner this morning he stated that a meeting would be held in a few days and an attempt made to give the project definite form. "A number of people of Charleroi with money to invest have spoken to me about the matter," said Mr. Weltner. "The plant means too much to Charleroi to have it closed or moved elsewhere. Should we be able to form the company and buy the plant it will be started up at once, as the company did not shut down on account of lack of orders, but for lack of funds."

Others interested in the project are C. F. Thompson, S. A. Walton and W. H. Calvert. They all speak well of the enterprise and believe it will be possible to carry out the plan of having it conducted by local capital.

Ernie's annual distribution of seeds comes at a time when the voter need 'em and he needs the votes. The troubles with the Acheson garden this year is that the seeds of dissension have been planted too long to permit these little packages as mementoes of activities of a "hard-working" congressman to find a growing place.

John Umbel is in Pittsburg today looking up business interests.

SHOWS HE IS NOT SOLDIER'S FRIEND

Is Acheson sincere? Is he the soldier's friend? Robert Kennedy, a one armed soldier and postmaster at Roscore, Pa., was thrown out of office to make room for a civilian from Fayette county, to pay one of Acheson's political debts.

This was done in opposition to a petition signed by more than four-fifths of the residents of Rocsoe, Pa., and contrary to the wishes of nearly all merchants and business men.

It was not that he loved the "OLD SOLDIERS," but that he loved himself more. Old soldiers think of this.

J. H. Underwood, Jr.

Wedding at Dunlevy.

On Saturday at Dunlevy the wedding of Mr. John Holland Smith and Miss Mary Ann Taylor, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Taylor, will take place. Many guests are expected to be present from a distance. The ceremony will be solemnized at the home of the brides parents. The groom is one of Dunlevy's crack football players and is quite well known. Miss Taylor also has many acquaintances along the river.

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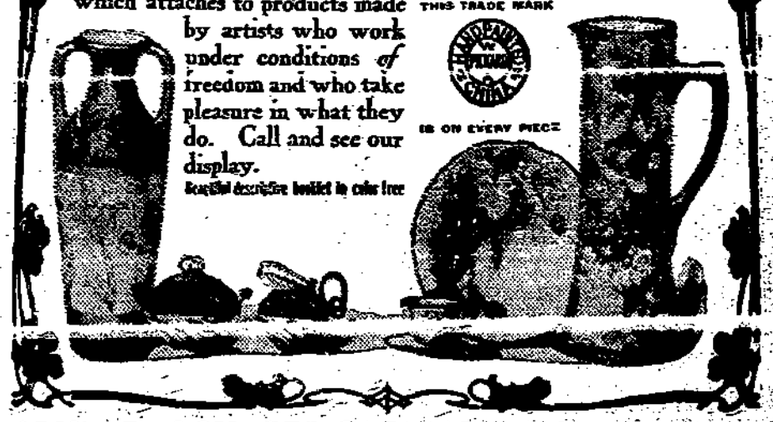

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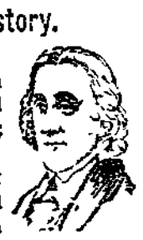

David Rittenhouse

1732—David Rittenhouse eminent American mathematician and astronomer, born; died 1796

1885—Richard Grant White author and philologist died in New York city, born there 1821

1895—General James L. Kemper ex governor of Virginia and one of the brigade leaders in Pickett's charge at Gettysburg died born 1823

1907—Rev Dr John Johnson survivor and principal historian of the Confederate defense of Fort Sumter died, born 1829

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS

Tonight and Tomorrow Morning

Sun sets 6 28, rises 5 26, moon sets 2 03 a m

The Reporter Squeals.

The Reporter on Monday printed a dastardly and venemous article about what they claimed had taken place in the Pigeon Creek church on the Sunday previous. The allegations in the article were clear, broad and unmistakable. They were founded upon statements said to have been made by a minister

Either the claim that a minister gave the information was not true or else the Reporter is unwilling to accept his statement For notwithstanding the fact that on Monday under flaming headlines they made statements of certain facts and charged offenses against the friends of Mr. Tener, which were declared to be outrageous, these charges seem to have been made recklessly and maliciously

After more sober thought the following is found in Tuesday's paper

Inasmuch as a denial has been made of certain facts printed in the Reporter yesterday afternoon concerning the appearance of Tener placards in the Pigeon Creek Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, the pastor desiring to state the exact truth, will make an investigation of the affair and give its readers the result of its inquiries. The informant of the Reporter visited the office this morning and confirmed the story from his own personal knowlege, as to what he saw as stated in the Reporter and is willing to give his impression of the matter as he saw it over his own signature.

ROWERS MEETS ENCOURAGEMENT

John H. Bowers, of Charleroi, has almost completed his canvass of Washington county, and from every locality where he has come in contact with the voters there are encouraging reports of his work. He appeals to all classes of people, because he has known what it is to struggle with the world and such success as has come to a business way has been brought about through his own earnest efforts. Workingmen readily recognize him as one who has has earned his bread by the sweat of his brow and for this reason are drawn to him. He also mixes well with the business men of the county, as he is always interested in the mercantile conditions of a community, being in the hardware business in Charleroi. As a Republican he has a fine record and members of the party are soon convinced that he is the simon-pure article in politics as in every day life.

Vote for Bowers. He will hold down the office of county treasurer in a manner creditable to the county, Charleroi, the town of his residence, and himself. It

John W. Vogel, whose minstrels bear his name, is the owner of one of the finest private cars used in the theatrical business It is very large and fitted up with all the comforts of a most luxurious home.

One piece of furniture of which Mr. Vogel is particularly proud, is a bed. This is of folding style, made of solid cherry, and provided with the best and most expensive springs and mattress This was the bed used by Edwin Booth on his last tour throughout this country when he and Lawrence Barrett were starring together. The Booth Barrett combination, of course, had its private car and after the death of the eminent tragedian the car was taken back to its builders and sold, the company removing most of the expensive fittings When Mr. Vogel was having his car built, he noticed this bed, and not knowing its history made the remark that it would be a nice piece of furniture for his car. When the traveling home was delivered the minstrel owner was astonished to find the coveted bed in place and then the builders told him its history Vogel's Ministrels come to Coyle Theatre April 9

The Mail today is pleased to announce to its readers the inauguration of a Missing Word Contest, which is being conducted by J. Frederick Jones, a well known advertising expert and newspaper man of McKeesport, to begin next Thursday For some days Mr. Jones was in Charleroi, calling on the local business men. He made a most favorable impression on them, contracting for 26 four-inch advertisements which are to run on the missing word page for a period of three months The cards, as will be noted, are all of a spicy nature, and will be read quite eagerly by the readers of the Mail

The Missing Word Contest is a perfect, legitimate advertising proposition and something new in this quarter The Mail agrees to give $25 00 in gold to the person or persons guessing the largest number of omitted words This makes it purely an educational contest It begins next Thursday and will last thirteen weeks A word will be taken out of an advertisement each week. The same word will only be chosen once, a new word being selected from a new advertisement with each issue of the paper.

It might be well at this time to give the reader an idea of the manner in which the words are omitted. For instance suppose a sentence in an advertisement should read "We keep the finest line of hardware, housefurnishings, etc., and you want good goods at low prices try us." You will at once see that there is a word omitted in this sentence. The word is "if". After filling out the coupon, giving the word you think is right, do not forget to state what words the omitted word should have appeared between. Do not stop at one guess. The word you think may be right, may not, after all, be the correct word the publishers take out and seal away. Therefore, try again Try and get hold of several copies of the Mail, where a coupon will be found. Only one guess can be made on it, and the same guess will not be counted more than once for the same person.

As a rule, there are some who do not guess the word correctly the first, second, third or even fourth time. These persons must not quit, as those who guess right the first time are apt to fall down the next. The $25 in gold goes to the person or persons who guess the most words correctly. The largest number at the end of the time may only be 3 or 9. Go right on. Send in your coupons, and be governed by the conditions solely Father, mother, brother or sister can participate. All can try for the gold dollars. Read the advertisements over and then fill out the coupon.

Coupons must be received at the office p. m. of Wednesday following the issue of the paper. Any received after that time will not be counted. The employes of the paper and their families are the only persons barred from the contest. If you do not get the Mail, order it today, so that you will have it each time the contest coupon appears.

FOR CONGRESS

John K. Tener

Strike a blow at hypocrisy by voting for Mr. Tener next Saturday.

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Read and be Convinced.

JOHN K TENER

Charleroi Pa., March 16 1908

Mr Thomas D Brown
New Brighton Pa.

My Dear Sir —

Referring to our recent conversation relative to my attitude on the liquor license question I desire to make my position thereon plain to you and all other fair minded citizens

Admitting that there is an honest difference of opinion as to the details of a local option bill let me say that I would not assume to dictate to a state legislative body, of which I shall not be a member just what kind of a bill in all such details that body should pass but I am unalterably of the opinion that the right should be given the people in any designated territory to decide by their votes whether or not license should be granted and I would give my support to the bill presented by and satisfactory to those friends of local option having charge of it in the state legislature where and where only, this question must be settled

In my home town of Charleroi and since its foundation not only its incorporators but its best citizens, from that day to this, have succeeded in keeping the number of licenses down to a minimum and in the hands of the most experienced best qualified and most responsible hotel men believing as we do that since the business is legalized it is the duty of all good citizens to use their influence to eliminate, as far as possible the evils resulting therefrom

I have already stated that I am making no effort whatever to gain control of politics in this district or to elect any man or set of men for that purpose It is my belief that our people are tired of bosses and bossism and will not be deceived even though the boss masquerades in the garb of reform

Trusting that I have clearly defined my position on this question I am

Yours very truly

JOHN K TENER

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505 McKean Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Buy Green Goods at Masters'

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Women's Sample Oxfords and shoes, patents and dull, 1½ to 8, $2.50 values $1.50	X
Men's Samples, patents and dull leathers, blucher and button, $3.00 values $1.95	X
Girls' and boys' sample shoes, button and lace, all sizes to 5½ at $1.00	X
Boys' sample waterproof tan and black, heavy double sole, sizes 12 to 5½, $2.50 value $1.50	X
Children's Samples, red, tan or black, lace or button, sizes 8 to 8, 75c values 39c	X
Babies' sample shoes, all colors, fancy tops, sizes 0 to 4, 50c values 19c	X

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Monongahela, Penna.

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. C. Clark is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

Joseph R. Chalfant is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. Carl Mountsier and Mrs. W. C. Potter are Pittsburg visitors today.

Paul Caulfield of Millsboro was transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

C. E. Garrett and F. L. Nice of Hanover were calling on friends in Charleroi yesterday.

Miss Alphretta Gregg and Robert Gregg of California were visitors in Charleroi yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Jacobs of Crest avenue has left for West Virginia to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross and daughter Iva were in Pittsburg last evening attending the Automobile show.

D. N. Hall and Rev. J. H. Palmer were in Pittsburg yesterday attending the Baptist Sunday school convention in the Sandusky street Baptist church.

Mrs. G. May Hill of Munhall returned home yesterday from a few day's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott of Crest avenue.

Mrs. C. Weinstein of Philadelphia who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Nathan Greenberg, of Washington avenue, left for her home this morning. Mrs. Greenberg accompanied her to Pittsburg.

The regular drill of Co. A. Boys' Brigade of the Y. M. C. A., was held last night and 44 of the 50 members were on hand, showing the interest the boys are taking. In order to help pay for their uniforms the boys will hold a skating rink party at the rink on Friday night.

THE CHARLEROI MAIL WANT COLUMN

ONE CENT PER WORD each insertion if PAID IN ADVANCE. No ad. taken for less, than 25 cents. This rate includes Lost, For Rent, For Sale, Found, Wanted, Etc.

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WANETD—An energetic reliable man to represent an up-to-date Health and Accident company writing the most liberal policies in the market. Liberal contract to right man. Address Agency Manager, Imperial Assurance Company, Bank for Savings Bldg., Pittsburg, Penna. ST-W-F-M

WANTED—Girl for housework. Apply 325 Washington Avenue. 108tf

WANTED—Everybody to know that the Mail takes orders for high class engraving of calling cards and invitations. 143tf

CARDS—Call and see our samples of stylish calling cards. Printed or engraved. Charleroi Mail. 134 tf

The Proof of the Pudding

Nearly all fire insurance policies are dressed alike.

They are mostly gaily lithographed fellows filled with many "aforesaids" and "hereinafters."

They all promise you the same thing—protection.

The proof that the **promise is protection** lies in the past record and present condition of the issuing company

Our policies are backed by companies that have been tried and proven.

ED. C. DRUM
Reliable Fire Insurance
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Stainfloor Finish
made in Seven Shades and in Transparent.

Absolutely the best Floor Finish manufactured; also the best general finish for Furniture and all Interior Woodwork.

Does not scratch or mar; is not affected by water; makes old wood look new and all woods look beautiful; can be applied by anybody.

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Charleroi has a music store where everything that's musical is sold. It may be a piano, or it may be a violin, or phonograph. We can furnish it. We handle such a large quantity of musical goods, the scope of our business is so large, that we are always able to make prices the lowest and terms the easiest. Post yourself on the fine lists we handle in pianos and you will understand why it is unnecessary for anybody to go outside of Charleroi to buy.

W. F. Frederick Music Co.,
J. J. KING, Retail Manager, Fallowfield Ave.

Notice! Intend Going Abroad?

All indications point to a heavy traveling season and choice accommodations are rapidly being reserved.

AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

File your application for berths at once.

Oldest Steamship Agency in Upper Monongahela Valley

FRANK RIVA Sole Agency for the World Renowned Domestic Machine
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We handle the best line of Rubber Hose in the town. Guaranteed to stand a pressure of from 200 to 500 pounds. We have them at all prices to suit. Each and every piece is fully guaranteed.

D. R. DUVALL
518 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

For Assembly:
Hiram Robinson,
of Coal Center, Pa.

A STATEMENT:

To the Voters of Washington County on the 10th of March I announced as a candidate for Assembly subject to Republican rules and in favor of local option, the county to be the unit and nothing less. I expected the endorsements of the Anti-Saloon League but was turned down. I thought they were the Moses pure of Washington county politics, but I met with a rebuke at their hands. Then I prepared an ad attacting the Anti-Saloon League for not endorsing every candidate that did not dodge the temperance issue. The Washington Observer refused to print this ad unless they could cut out about all it meant. Then I saw six of the Anti-Saloon League men and they practically turned me down. The Anti-Saloon League has said, not by words but by selection, that only three out of the seven Republican candidates for Assembly are fit to go to Harrisburg. I am not in favor of making townships, boroughs and towns the unit, but I do borrow an idea, and favor it, from that famous labor leader, John Mitchell, of letting large cities like Pittsburg and Philadelphia handle the liquor question in a manner they think best.

I am not a politician or wire-puller. I never handled election money or booze, nor have I scanned the tax collector's books in order to pay somebody's taxes and make them under obligation to me. I believe in a fair and square deal for everybody.

Hiram Robinson,
Coal Center, Pa.

PROMPT DELIVERY

Is necessary to satisfaction with the service your grocer gives. Our customers never have a reason for a growl on this account. You give us the order. We will hustle the goods to you, anywhere in town any time during the day.

Wm. Parks, the Grocer,
Corner Washington Ave. and Fifth St., Charleroi, Pa.

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good, pure Moerlein's should be your beverage.
For half a century its delightful flavor and healthful qualities have held high favor

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Millinery, Suits, Jackets and Waists

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Everybody is delighted with our lovely hats—

If you want to trim your own hats, just look at the scores of handsome styles so moderately priced.

We quote on a couple of new arrivals:

The Beaumont, Light Panama Sailor,

Satin band of Alice blue, brown, leather or black—a dashing shape somewhat on the Merry Widow plan..... **$3.75**

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Ready to Wear—Merry Widow Sailors and London Sailors, trimmed with ribbon, wings and fancy ornaments, handsome tailored effects of exceeding richness and exclusiveness..... **$4.95**

Tailored Suits

Even the suits priced as low as $12.50 are handsome material. There are prices all the way to $35.00—but come and see them—try them on.

Fancy Mixture Suits

Also two-tone blue—brown, four piece back, shaped front, three pockets, tailored turn back cuffs for..... **$12.50**

Madame Butterfly Suits

in beautiful shadow stripes, Panama and fancy materials, silk lined, full flare skirt, remarkable value at..... **$25.00**

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of fine wool striped materials, handsomely tailored and finished with braid and buttons, full pleated skirts with fold at bottom..... **$35.00**

GLOVES FOR EASTER

There's every reason that you should find just what you want here in Gloves. We make a point of carrying complete lines at all prices If we shouldn't have the exact shade you want we have arrangements whereby we can get it for you in three or four days.

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Is made in seven beautiful colors besides natural or clear. These colors are all durable and will stand water, hard usage and heavy shoes; same as the clear. It's all the same quality, works easy and lasts.

Is made to walk on, but is suitable for all inside work as well as floors. **Booklet and Color Card Free.**

D, R. DUVALL, 518 Fallowfield Avenue

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Republican Convention, Chicago

From This 24th Congressional District

Do Not Overlook This Part of Your Ticket

My Name Heads the List of National Delegates

James M. Bossert,

MONONGAHELA, PA.

Election, April 11, 1908

The Office of County Commissioner

Is the most important in the whole county. It has to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars of the people's money every year. All the public improvements are sanctioned and constructed under its direction. It is the most important office for a section or locality to have representation in, although not one of great emolument or profit to the one holding it. It is strange to say that the boroughs and townships fronting upon

The Monongahela River Have Never Had Representation

upon this Board in the majority party for over thirty years. This is the more remarkable because they have over one-third of the population of the entire county and have very often themselves furnished the majority to elect the commissioners, and the entire Republican ticket. Is it fair to this great and most important district? Has this great valley received its proportionate share of public improvements? Of the thousands and hundreds of thousands of dollars spent upon road improvements, how much has been spent along the Monongahela Valley? The time is close at hand when the Republican voters of this great community can have a representative tried and true, and who is in touch with the River country, by putting the cross opposite the name of **Thomas Hill of Union Township,** whose name appears upon the official Republican Ballot. He will see that this great section will receive its full share of public improvements. He believes that when money is collected as taxes from this district that improvements should come proportionately. He is opposed to the arbitrary increase of the assessment of a whole township or borough. He believes that the appeals from the assessments should be held in each locality, and that the people wishing to object to the assessment should not be compelled to take the time and expense to go to the County Seat to obtain their hearing. In other words, that the Commissioners should go to the people instead of compelling the people to go to them. If you believe that the Republican party should give the River District a representative, the first in thirty years, cast your vote for Thomas Hill!